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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: ROY K. GREENBERG et al.

Appln. No.: 10/003,011

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For: MEDICAL GRASPING DEVICE

Attorney Docket No: 8627-213 (PA-5270-RFB)

Examiner: Pedro Philogene

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Sir:

Attached is/are:

- Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114; Preliminary Amendment (9 pages); Information Disclosure Statement (IDS); Form PTO-1449; 3 IDS Documents; Filing Fee Check (for the RCE and a 1-month extension) \$910.00
- Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- No additional fee is required.
- Small Entity.
- An extension fee in an amount of \$120.00 for a 1-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(______).
- An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- A check in the amount of \$910.00 is enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$_____. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- Payment by credit card in the amount of \$_____. (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

Lawrence G. Almeda (Reg. No. 46,151)

April 8, 2005
Date